



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re Application of

Peele

Serial No. 09/317,480

Filed: May 24, 1999

For: **DYNAMIC CHANNEL ALLOCATION IN
A SECTORED CELL OF A CELLULAR
COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**

Attorney's Docket No. 4015-279

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Notice of Appeal

Applicants hereby appeal from the Examiner's final rejection of claims 1-9 and 27-30. All rejected claims are being appealed.

Applicants hereby petition for two-months' extension of time to file this Notice, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

Enclosed is a check for \$720.00 to cover the fees. If this check is insufficient in any way, please charge the required fee to the Coats & Bennett, P.L.L.C. Deposit Account No. 18-1167.

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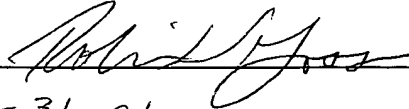
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